

BRIDPORT RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH  
FOR THE YEAR  
1960.





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July, 1961.

To the Chairman, and Members of the  
Bridport Rural District Council.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

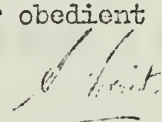
I have the honour to present to you my Annual Report for the  
year 1960.

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I am deeply grateful for the courtesy and consideration extended  
to me by Members of the Council, for the co-operation of my colleagues on  
the Council staff, especially Mr. J. Newman, the Public Health Inspector,  
for his great assistance in the preparation of this report.

I am, your obedient servant,

  
Medical Officer of Health.

PUBLIC HEALTH STAFF.

Medical Officer of Health.....Adam Armit, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H..  
Public Health Inspector.....J.R. Newman, A.M.I. Mun.E., M.R.S.H..  
Meat Inspector (Part-time).....K.I. Marshall, M.R.C.V.S..  
Clerk to the Medical Officer.....Miss B.E. Lawrence.

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STATISTICS OF THE AREA.

Area in acres.	..	..	..	..	..	31,769.
Registrar General's estimate of population	..				..	7,650.
No. of inhabited houses (according to the Rate Books as at end of 1960)	..				..	3,014.
Rateable Value.	..	..	..	..	..	£75,495.
Sum represented by a Penny Rate	..		..	..	..	£293.

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EXTRACTS FROM VITAL STATISTICS.

* Area Comparability Factors		-	Births 1.21	Deaths 0.74
<u>Live Births.</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	107	49	58	
Legitimate.	105	48	57	
Illegitimate.	2	1	1	
Live Birth rate per 1,000 population				13.99 Crude. 16.92 Corrected
Illegitimate Live Births per cent of total Live Births				1.87
<u>Still Births.</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	2	1	1	
Legitimate.	2	1	1	
Illegitimate.	-	-	-	
Still-births rate per 1,000 live and still-births				18.3
<u>Total Live and Still-births.</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	109	50	59	
<u>Deaths</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	99	42	57	
Death Rate per 1,000 population				12.94 Crude. 9.58 Corrected.
<u>Infant deaths under 1 year.</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	1	-	1	
Legitimate.	1	-	1	
Illegitimate.	-	-	-	
<u>Infant deaths under 4 weeks.</u>	<u>Total.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	
Total registered.	1	-	1	
Legitimate.	1	-	1	
Illegitimate.	-	-	-	
<u>Infant deaths under 1 week.</u>	Nil.			
<u>Infant Mortality Rates.</u>				
Total infant deaths per 1,000 total live births				9.3
Legitimate " " " " legitimate live births.				9.5
Illegitimate" " " " illegitimate live births.				Nil
Neo-natal Mortality Rate (deaths under 4 weeks per 1,000 total live births)				9.3
Early Neo-natal " " " " 1 week " " " " " " )				Nil
Perinatal " " (still-births & deaths under 1 week combined per 1,000 total live and still births)				18.3
<u>Maternal Mortality. (including abortion).</u>				
Number of deaths.				Nil.
Rate per 1,000 total live and still births.				Nil

\* This is worked out for each District by the Registrar General.



CAUSES OF DEATH AT ALL AGES.

Registrar General's Official Returns.

	<u>Males.</u>		<u>Females.</u>		<u>Total.</u>
	<u>1-3</u> <u>Qrts.</u>	<u>4</u> <u>Qrt.</u>	<u>1-3</u> <u>Qrts.</u>	<u>4</u> <u>Qrt.</u>	
1. Tuberculosis respiratory.	-	-	-	-	-
2. Tuberculosis other.	-	-	-	-	-
3. Syphilitic Disease.	-	-	-	-	-
4. Diphtheria.	-	-	-	-	-
5. Whooping Cough.	-	-	-	-	-
6. Meningococcal infections.	-	-	-	-	-
7. Acute Poliomyelitis.	-	-	-	-	-
8. Measles.	-	-	-	-	-
9. Other infective and parasitic diseases.	-	-	-	-	-
10. Malignant neoplasm, stomach.	-	2	1	1	4
11. Malignant neoplasm, lung, bronchus.	2	1	2	1	6
12. Malignant neoplasm, breast.	-	-	1	-	1
13. Malignant neoplasm, uterus.	-	-	2	-	2
14. Other malignant & lymphatic neoplasms.	4	-	5	-	9
15. Leukaemia, aleukaemia.	-	-	-	-	-
16. Diabetes.	-	-	1	-	1
17. Vascular lesions of nervous system.	5	2	3	5	15
18. Coronary Disease, angina.	7	-	3	6	16
19. Hypertension with heart disease.	1	2	-	-	3
20. Other heart disease.	5	2	12	1	20
21. Other circulatory disease.	2	1	2	1	6
22. Influenza.	-	-	-	-	-
23. Pneumonia.	2	1	1	-	4
24. Bronchitis.	1	1	1	-	3
25. Other diseases of respiratory system.	-	-	-	-	-
26. Ulcer of stomach and duodenum.	-	-	-	-	-
27. Gastritis, enteritis, and diarrhoea.	-	-	-	-	-
28. Nephritis and nephrosis.	-	-	-	-	-
29. Hyperplasia of prostate.	-	-	-	-	-
30. Pregnancy, childbirth, abortion.	-	-	-	-	-
31. Congenital malformations.	-	-	1	-	1
32. Other defined and ill defined diseases.	1	-	5	1	7
33. Motor vehicle accidents.	-	-	1	-	1
34. All other accidents.	-	-	-	-	-
35. Suicide.	-	-	-	-	-
36. Homicide and operations of war.	-	-	-	-	-
Totals.	30	12	41	16	99

## OTHER VITAL STATISTICS.

	1938	1948	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Population.....	6895	7612	7490	7380	7530	7570	7560	7580	7650
Rateable Value.....	£30959	£33714	£35701	£37493	£66988	£68365	£64657	£74391	£75495
Estimated Produce of a Penny Rate.....	£129	£141	£143	£146	£260	£258	£276	£284	£293
<b>BIRTHS.</b>									
Live Births.....	79	104	79	76	106	100	93	94	107
Legitimate.....	71	99	76	70	102	100	90	91	105
Illegitimate.....	8	5	3	6	4	-	3	3	2
Still Births.....	4	2	5	3	3	1	1	1	2
Live Birth Rate (crude).....	11.5	13.7	10.6	10.3	14.1	13.2	12.3	12.4	14
Live Birth Rate (corrected).....	11.5	13.7	10.6	12.6	17.2	16	14.9	15	16.9
Live Birth Rate (Eng. & Wales).....	15.6	17.9	15.2	15.0	15.7	16.1	16.4	16.5	17.1
Still Birth Rate (Eng. & Wales).....								20.7	19.7
<b>DEATHS.</b>									
Total Deaths.....	115	116	100	111	114	112	121	107	99
Death Rate (crude).....	12.4	15.2	13.4	15.0	15.1	14.8	16.0	14.2	12.9
Death Rate (corrected).....			9.2	10.4	11.2	11.1	11.7	10.6	9.6
Death Rate (Eng. & Wales).....	11.6	10.8	11.3	11.7	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.5
<b>INFANT MORTALITY.</b>									
Deaths under 1 year.....	2	1	3	4	6	4	1	2	1
Infantile Death Rate.....	25.3	9.6	38	39.5	56.6	40	10.8	21.3	9.3
Infantile Death Rate (Eng. & Wales).....	53	33.9	25.4	24.9	23.8	23.1	22.5	22.0	21.7
Neonatal Death Rate (Eng. & Wales).....								15.8	15.6
<b>MATERNAL DEATHS.</b>									
Maternal Deaths.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
Maternal Mortality Rate.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-
Maternal Mortality Rate (Eng. & Wales).....	2.97	1.02	0.69	0.64	0.56	0.47	0.43	0.38	0.39
<b>Number of Deaths and Death Rates from Tuberculosis and Cancer</b>									
	Death Rates per million population.								
	Bridport Rural.			England and Wales.					
	Males.	Females.	Rate.	Males.	Rate.	Females.	Rate.		
Respiratory Tuberculosis.	-	-	-	2,332	106	762	32		
Other Tuberculosis.	-	-	-	160	7	172	7		
Cancer of lung and bronchus.	3	3	784	18,876	855	3,116	132		
Other cancer.	6	10	2,092	33,882	1,535	42,817	1,808		



### SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE AREA.

The District is approximately 50 square miles in area with a 20 mile coast line of lovely cliffs and beaches. It is divided into 18 parishes, with a population of 7,650. Agriculture is the basic industry, mostly dairy farming, while catering for holiday makers plays a very important role in the life of the community. Many of the householders are engaged (part-time) as outworkers in the Net and Twine Industry based on Bridport Borough.

#### Water Supplies.

The West Dorset Water Board took over direct responsibility for the public water supplies in the District on 1st. April, 1959, although the Council still retain responsibility for water supplies to their own housing estates at Morcombelake and Uploders. The Board have not as yet taken over the various privately owned public supplies in the District, and these are as follows :-

- (a) Ryall Residents' supply, Ryall.
- (b) Chideock Water Works Co., Ltd., Chideock.
- (c) Colfox Estate, Symondsburry and Moorbatch.
- (d) Barnes' supply, Symondsburry.
- (e) Hastead's supply, Morcombelake.
- (f) Pass Family Trust's supply, Wootton Fitzpaine.
- (g) Jackson's supply, Stonebarrow.
- (h) Whitchurch Canoniconum Water Works Co., Ltd., Whitchurch Canoniconum.
- (i) West Bexington Water Works Co., West Bexington.

#### Regional Scheme Phase 1.

During 1960 three trial boreholes were sunk at Litton Cheney. The Board estimated that the requirement from Litton Cheney towards a supply for West Dorset would be 936,000 g.p.d. and that the possible yields might be -

From the existing heading	13,000 g.p.h.
" Borehole A.	10,000 g.p.h.
" " B.	13,000 g.p.h.
" " C.	<u>20,000 g.p.h.</u>
	<u>56,000 g.p.h.</u>

This is equivalent to 1,344,000 g.p.d.

The purchase of 10 acres of land known as Hooke Springs in the Beaminster Rural District was also completed.

The Board agreed to submit to the Minister Phase 1 in detail. This contains statistics relating to the Litton Cheney boreholes together with the details of the Hooke pumping station, the building of five reservoirs and the laying of approximately 19 miles of trunk mains from Hooke, westwards via Toller Down, to Broadwindsor, Salway Ash and Dottery from where a connection could be made to the Bridport supply. The Ministry had undertaken to consider at one and the same time, the Board's Regional Scheme in principle, Phase 1 in detail, and the Draft Order relating to the Litton Cheney boreholes which had been submitted to them by the Board's Parliamentary Agent.

#### Re-Grouping of Water Undertakings.

At the June meeting, the Board received a letter from the Ministry of Housing and Local Government enclosing for information a copy of the letter sent to the Town Clerks of Dorchester and Weymouth and the Clerks of Portland U.D.C., and Dorchester R.D.C., and the Secretary of the Weymouth Water Works Company. In that letter, the Ministry asked the Councils and the Company to consider the possibility for forming a single undertaking to serve the whole of their districts and the area of the West Dorset Water Board. The Board decided to send a copy of the letter to the Dorset County Council.

In November, the Board asked the Minister his views on the possible enlargement of the Board's area as it now appeared that the Local Authorities to the east of the area proposed forming a Joint Water Board which would not include the West Dorset Water Board's area.



A deputation from the Board to the Ministry at the beginning of 1961, raised the two main questions of (a) grants and (b) re-grouping of water undertakings.

The Parliamentary Secretary replied that he appreciated the Board's efforts to provide their area with water. He realized the financial burden placed upon them and promised to consider carefully the question of grants. He desired the Board to proceed with their scheme without delay and was anxious to meet their difficulties. He wished the Board's area to be enlarged and would seek to persuade their neighbours to amalgamate with the Board, and he undertook to draw the Board's fears and burdens to the attention of the Minister.

#### Supply to proposed new estates in Bridport and District.

In July, the Board decided that owing to the doubtful strength of the main from Litton Cheney to Bothenhampton, no new supplies could be given to estate development in the Bridport area until the necessary capital works designed to augment the supply had been completed.

Plans for estate development in the District have continued to be approved, with the condition that the development shall not be commenced until the dwellings can be served by the W.D. Water Board.

Towards the end of the year the Whitchurch Canonieorum Water Works Company Ltd. advised the Council that it would not be possible to give an adequate supply of water to the Council's houses at Goodens Hill during the summer of 1961. The position is being investigated with the Company.

At the end of the year the Water Scheme for Wootton Fitzpaine village being carried out on behalf of the Pass Family Trust, was nearing completion. Satisfactory source samples have been obtained.

#### Improvement of Supply to Bridport and District.

In view of the seriousness of the position in Bridport, a scheme for remedying the supply was approved and the necessary detailed plans were being prepared for submission to the Ministry. This scheme which would afford a satisfactory supply to Bridport and district by mid 1963 would use the emergency links between Hocke and the Litton Cheney systems which were provided for in the Regional Scheme. Water would be pumped from Hocke to a reservoir on Toller Down and then gravitate via reservoirs at Stoke Knapp, North Bowood and Dottery from whence a main would be laid to join the existing mains at Bradpole.

Table 1 on page 7 shows the number of dwellings in the District which receive a piped water supply from the Water Board, the Council and the above mentioned privately owned public supplies, together with the estimated population receiving piped water supplies direct to their dwellings and by standpipes only. 79% of the total number of dwellings receiving a piped water supply are supplied by the Water Board. 1% by the Council and the remaining 20% by privately owned public water suppliers. Approximately 66% of the population in the District receive a piped water supply.

#### Analyses.

The following table shows the results of bacteriological analyses carried out during the year from various supplies.

Supplies.	Total.	Satisfactory.	Suspicious.	Unsatisfactory.
West Dorset W.B. - source.	140	56	30	54
- consumer.	350	241	26	83
Local Authority - consumer.	4	1	1	2
Other Public Supplies. - consumer.	4	3	-	1
Private source and consumer.	39	11	5	23

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PARISH.	Dwellings supplied by				Estimated Population.										
	Actual dwellings.	Water Board.	Local Authy.	Others.	Percent- age supplied.	Est. Pop.	Supplied direct to dwellings.	Supplied by means of standpipes	Est. Pop.	Percent- age supplied.					
							Water Board.	Others Board.							
Allington.	76	21	-	-	21	28	208	58	-	58	-	58	28		
Askerswell.	45	8	-	-	8	18	136	24	-	24	27	-	27	51	37
Bothenhampton.	378	364	-	-	364	96	926	890	-	890	-	-	-	890	96
Bradpole.	368	351	-	-	351	96	1006	960	-	960	-	-	-	960	95
Burton Bradstock.	264	243	-	-	243	92	588	540	-	540	-	-	-	540	92
Catherston Leweston.	13	4	-	9	13	100	36	12	24	36	-	-	-	36	100
Charnouth.	344	328	-	-	328	95	890	850	-	850	-	-	-	850	95
Chideock.	234	-	-	177	177	76	580	-	440	440	-	-	-	440	76
Chilcombe.	6	3	-	-	3	50	16	8	-	8	-	-	-	8	50
Littton Cheney.	90	71	-	-	71	79	228	180	-	180	-	-	-	180	79
Loders.	168	1	9	-	10	6	432	3	27	30	-	-	-	30	7
Punchknowle.	118	27	-	43	70	59	248	44	71	115	73	-	73	188	76
Shipton Gorge.	89	56	-	-	56	63	200	126	-	126	-	-	-	126	63
Stanton St. Gabriel.	39	-	8	-	8	20	100	-	20	20	-	-	-	20	20
Stytre.	39	-	-	-	-	-	92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Symondsbury.	356	73	-	44	117	33	856	176	105	281	35	-	35	316	37
Whitchurch Canonicoorum.	262	-	-	76	76	29	668	-	193	193	-	-	-	193	29
Wootton Fitzpaine.	105	-	-	33	33	31	360	-	113	113	-	-	-	113	31
Totals.	2994	1550	17	382	1949	65%	7570	3871	993	4864	135	-	135	4999	66%



### Water Shortage.

In May, there was a serious shortage of water at West Bexington. A visit to the site was paid by a senior Engineering Inspector of the Ministry. As a result, three water tanks were provided by the Council and the Board agreed to bear half the cost of carting water to them, and the Board were asked to proceed with the scheme for a mains supply to West Bexington as quickly as possible.

Water had also to be hauled to the Council's houses at St. Gabriels Close, Morcombelake, during July and August.

83 visits were made in connection with water supplies.

I am grateful to the West Dorset Water Board's Engineer for his co-operation during the year.

### Drainage and Sewerage.

As stated in previous reports, the District is not satisfactorily sewered and crude sewage is discharged into the nearest streams from the villages through which they flow, especially at Charmouth, Chideock, Symondsburry, Bradpole, Walditch and Litton Cheney. However the Council are very much alive to the problem and are taking measures as fast as they can to have these villages sewered. In 1956 the scheme for sewerage Shipton Gorge was completed, in 1957 Burton Bradstock, in 1959 Puddingstone, and during 1960 at Charmouth, the works on the new main drainage scheme proceeded, and at the end of the year the works and sludge beds and pump house were 98% completed. Only the laying of the sewers in 1961 would complete the scheme.

The existing arrangements in the following parishes are :-

#### Bothenhampton.

The village of Bothenhampton is adequately sewered and sewage is discharged into the Bridport Borough sewers at East Rd., West Bay Rd., and Burton Rd.. The village of Walditch has a system of sewers which discharge crude or only partially treated sewage into a stream. A main drainage scheme for this village is being prepared by the Council.

#### Bradpole.

The Beaminster Rd., Court Close and East Rd., areas have a satisfactory sewerage system which discharges into the Borough sewers at Kings Head and East St.. The remainder of the village is unsatisfactorily drained, crude sewage being discharged into the rivers Mangerton and Asker. At Pynore, the owners of the factory are planning to construct a new sewage disposal plant which will take in part of the village.

#### Burton Bradstock.

Parts of the village have yet to be sewered, and the works at Wenneet Hill have been found to require additional sludge beds which will be constructed during 1961.

#### Chideock.

The river Wynniford is seriously polluted during its course through this village and a proposed main drainage scheme for Chideock and Seatown is being prepared.

#### Litton Cheney.

The sewers in this village run along the main street either as open ditches or as piped drains and discharge into a tributary of the river Bride. Only main drainage will abate the nuisance.

### Loders.

The river Asker is grossly polluted from the twelve outfalls and the sewers themselves are far from satisfactory. The Council have decided that a main drainage scheme will be carried out when mains water is provided by the Water Board, there being no piped water at present.

### Puncknowle.

The contract works in connection with the sewerage scheme for this village were completed early in the year. Thirty of the sixty four existing dwellings which could be served by the sewer had been connected.

West Bexington is provided with a main drainage system which conveys sewage to a disposal plant adjacent to the beach. This plant is unsatisfactory being almost continuously waterlogged due to flooding either from the lagoon or from the sea breaking over or through the Chesil bank.

### Symondsburry.

The village and West Rd., areas are provided with inadequate and unsatisfactory sewers which discharge crude sewage into the river Sinene. The West Cliff area at West Bay is satisfactorily sewered, and the sewage is discharged into the Borough sewers. There are no sewers in Eype or Broadoak.

### Other Parishes.

There are no sewers or drains in Askerswell, Allington, Swyre, Stanton St. Gabriel, Whitchurch Canonicoorum, Morconbelake, Ryall, Fishpond Botton, Wootton Fitzpaine, Monkton Wyld. Dwellings in these villages or hamlets are drained to septic tanks, cess-pools or the nearest ditch or watercourse.

The memorandum of the Medical Research Council on Sewage Contamination of Bathing Beaches in England and Wales was brought to the notice of the Council. It was decided to draw the Ministers attention to the schemes which the Council hopes to carry out. Such a programme together with estimated costs but in no order of priority is as follows :-

Bothenhampton - Walditch	£19,000
Bradpole.	£56,000
Burton Bradstock - Shipton Lane	£5,500
Chideock,	£37,500
Litton Cheney.	£25,000
Loders.	£37,500
Swyre.	£6,500
Symondsburry - village.	£35,000
West Rd.,	£15,000
Eype and Watton.	£25,000
Whitchurch Canonicoorum.	£62,000
Wootton Fitzpaine.	£19,000

By the end of the year details and drawings were nearly completed in respect of the proposed Walditch Scheme.

In June, the Council agreed to the setting up of a Joint Sewerage Committee with the Bridport Borough Council and in August a meeting was called by the Mayor of Bridport at which representatives from all the West Dorset Local Authorities were present to hear a discussion of modern methods of sewage disposal especially from the coastal areas of Local Authorities, and in particular the construction of a long submarine outfall probably one to two miles in length. As a result of this meeting, the Borough Council agreed that a preliminary Hydrographic Survey at West Bay be undertaken as a necessary preliminary to the consideration of such a scheme.

### Closet Conversions.

The Council operate a scheme whereby a £10 grant is paid to the owner where an earth, bucket or chemical closet is converted to a water closet and connection made to the public sewer.



### Public Conveniences.

The Council own Public Conveniences at Seatown and Charnmouth, the cleaning being carried out by part-time caretakers and the maintenance by direct labour staff. The Council are considering the provision of additional Public Conveniences at Charnmouth, Burton Bradstock and West Bexington.

### Public Cleansing.

Following upon the lease of a site at Coney's Castle, Whitchurch Canonicozum, a twice monthly refuse and salvage collection scheme for the western part of the District came into operation on the 1st. April, 1960. The whole of the District now receives a twice monthly collection. Refuse and salvage collections are made by four men using one lorry, with an additional man and van being employed during the summer.

Of the 2913 properties in the District only 1750 had proper dustbins and steps are being taken informally to secure a proper dustbin for each dwelling.

The Dorset County Council have stated that they will provide litter bins at official laybys on trunk and classified roads and that it might be possible to pay the Rural Council the cost of emptying them. These bins are regularly emptied by the Council.

The question of nuisances created by rubbish and litter on and near laybys has received the attention of the Council and it is hoped that the provision of litter bins at these locations will do much to combat the nuisance.

### Eradication of Vermin and Rodent Control.

One Rodent Operator is employed on a part-time basis of 24 hours spread over 5 days per week. In addition to carrying out surveys of private dwellings business places and lands, he also deals with other infestations such as wasps fleas and flies in and around private dwellings. One snake infestation near a house was also dealt with. Fly infestations at the Council's sewage disposal works and refuse tips were regularly treated.

The details of infestations are as follows :-

No. of complaints received.....	112
No. of infestations found by survey.....	86
No. of disinfestations carried out.....	198
No. of private dwellings disinfested.....	124
No. of business premises disinfested.....	59
No. of Local Authority premises disinfested.....	15
No. of annual rodent control contracts held.....	14
No. of Informal Notices served.....	Nil.
No. of Statutory Notices served.....	Nil.

### Camping Sites.

Spending holidays in caravans or tents is becoming more popular every year, and the beautiful coast of this Rural District attracts large numbers of campers.

On 29th. August, 1960 the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, came into force. This brought greater control of caravan sites to the Local Authority as well as repealing all the licences previously issued in respect of caravan sites under the Public Health Act, 1936. Section 269 of that Act however, still applies to tents and camping sites, and at the end of the year licences had been issued authorising the use of tenting sites as follows :-

6 licences for a total of 213 tents on 6 sites which are also licenced sites for caravan camps under the new Act or are likely to be licenced.

In July, it was reported to the Council that the County Planning Committee had recommended "that the actual number of caravans and tents stationed within the coastal area of the County on 4/8/59 be taken as a datum for the provision of camping and caravan facilities and that the possibility of accommodating the excess of this total over the approved numbers at existing approved camping sites be investigated". Following this, a survey of the District was carried out by the Council.

Under the new site licence, applications had to be made by all persons using or intending to use land as a caravan site by 29/9/60. The position regarding these applications is as follows :-

	<u>No. of sites.</u>	<u>Touring.</u>	<u>Caravans.</u> <u>Seasonal.</u>	<u>Residential.</u>
Existing licensed sites at the commencement of the Act.				
(a) Site licence issued.	6	20	73	1
(b) Licences under consideration.	20	72	925	8
Existing sites at the commencement of the Act, claiming "existing use of rights"				
(c) Under consideration.	14	102	163	3
New sites since the commencement of the Act.				
(d) Site Licence issued.	1	-	1	-
(e) Licence under consideration.	7	82	178	-
Totals.	48	276	1340	12
New sites since commencement of the Act.				
(f) Site licence refused.	1	-	1	-

The Council held a special meeting in October, 1960 to consider the Model Standards contained in the Act of 1960 and standards for residential and holiday sites in the district were adopted. It was also decided to apply to the Ministry for an Order removing the exemptions laid down in the First Schedule of the Act (certain caravans being permitted without site licences).

The 19 beach huts for day occupation at Seatown, 14 at Eypesmouth and 13 at West Bexington are licensed as temporary buildings under the Public Health Act, 1936. A report on the beach huts at West Bexington was laid before the Council in September, 1960 and steps are being taken to investigate the possibility of having these huts removed.

In connection with camping and caravan sites in the district, 110 visits were made during the year.

#### Schools.

These are regularly inspected; all have piped water, washing facilities, and all have water closets except one, Pasteurised or T.T. milk is supplied to each school.

#### Noise Abatement.

The noise abatement Act, 1960 came into operation on 27th. November, 1960. No complaints under the Act have been received,

#### Shops.

79 visits were made but no nuisances were found and no notices served.



### Agriculture.

11 inspections under the Agriculture (Safety, Health and Welfare Provisions) Act, 1956, were made. No Notices were served during the year, any defects found being complied with after discussion with the owners concerned.

### Flooding.

On 23rd. October, 1960, 47 dwellings in various parts of the District were flooded by the rivers Asker, Bredy, Brit, Mangerton and Sinone after very heavy rainfall. These houses were in the following places - Askerswell 3, Bradpole 36, Litton Cheney 2, Lodors 5, Synondbury 1.

In the Bradpole area the houses were hosed down and cleaned out by the Fire Brigade and Council employees; water under timber floors pumped away and the dwellings and furniture dried by hot air machines. Disinfectant was also issued.

Soon after the flooding, a Joint Meeting of Local Authorities in the area together with representatives of the Dorset County Council, Ministry of Agriculture, Avon and Dorset River Board and British Railways was called to discuss the flooding, what action to take to prevent a recurrence, to set up a flood warning system and an emergency flood relief system. (Further flooding occurred on 17th. November when three houses in Chideock and two in Synondbury were affected.

### Sanitary Inspections of the Area.

Under P.H.A. 1936 (Nuisances).....	113.	Public Cleansing.....	2.
(Complaints received).....	46.	Shops and Offices.....	79.
Water Supplies.....	83.	Camping.....	110.
Infectious Diseases.....	7.	Factories.....	48.
Miscellaneous.....	2.	Agricultural units.....	11.

Informal Notices (P.H.A. 36) served.....	8.	Complied with.....	8	(1)
Statutory Notices (P.H.A. 36) " .....	4.	Complied with.....	4	(2)

Notes :- (1) includes abatement of 4 nuisances where notices served in 1959  
(2) " " " 3 " " " " " "

Of the 8 informal notices served in 1960 4 have been complied with, 1 is the subject of a statutory notice, 1 is the subject of other procedure under the sub-standard dwellings arrangements, and the remaining 2 are receiving attention. In respect of the four Statutory Notices, 1 has been complied with, 1 is subject of further consideration between the Council and the owner and a certificate of disrepair is also involved and the remaining 2 are receiving the owners attention.

### INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD.

#### Food Premises by Type.

There are 151 food premises in the district as follows :-

Biscuits and Confectionery.....	1.	Bread and Confectionery.....	3.
Butchers.....	4.	Cafes and Ice Cream.....	10.
Canteens.....	8.	Cheese Factory.....	1.
Clubs.....	2.	Confectionery.....	2.
Confectionery & Ice Cream.....	4.	General Food.....	5.
General Food & Ice Cream.....	24.	Greengrocery.....	1.
Guest Houses.....	20.	Hamburgers.....	1.
Hotels.....	16.	Hotels & Restaurants.....	2.
Hostels.....	1.	Honey.....	1.
Ice Cream.....	4.	Inns.....	24.
Inns & Ice Cream.....	3.	Milk (designated).....	5.
Milk (Designated) and Ice Cream.....	1.	Milk (Raw).....	7.
Slaughterhouse.....	1.		

(2) Food Premises registered under Section 16 of Food and Drugs Act, 1955.

Storage and Sale of Ice Cream.....	44
No. of premises inspected.....	46
No. of inspections.....	53
Preparation or manufacture of sausages or potted, pressed, pickled, or preserved food, intended for sale.....	1
No. of inspections.....	3
Cooked fish.....	Nil

During the year 40 ice cream samples were taken for analyses and of these 36 were in Grade 1, 3 in Grade 2, and 1 in Grade 3..

All registered premises except one sell pre-packed ice cream.

Two iced lollies and two samples of the contents of Hamburgers were also sent for analyses and all were satisfactory.

Food Premises. - Inspections.

No. of inspections of food premises.....	163
No. of inspections of food premises under Food Hygiene Regulations.....	8
No. of inspections of vehicles, etc, under Food Hygiene Regulations.....	1
No. of Informal Notices under Food and Drugs Act. served.....	-
No. of Informal Notices under Food and Drugs Act. complied with.....	1
(served in 1959)	

Enforcement action was taken in respect of the mobile canteen situated at Askerswell Down and this has now been removed from the site.

In April the Council considered a report of the progress made in connection with the Food Hygiene Regulations requirements at places of public entertainment, village halls, etc, following upon the completion of the first of the five years in which the owners were asked to bring the various premises up to standard. This report showed that two premises had been completed, work was in hand in 9 cases and no work had been started at the remaining 4 premises.

Condemnation of Food.

One 6lb tin of corned beef was condemned as being unfit for human consumption.

Milk Supply.

No. of persons registered as distributors.....	3.
No. of premises registered as a dairy not being a dairy farm.....	2.
No. of inspections of dairies.....	17.
No. of dealers' licences authorising the use of special designations :-	
"Sterilised" (Supplementary).....	1.
"Pasteurised".....	4.
"Pasteurised" (Supplementary).....	2.
"Tuberculin Tested".....	3.
"Tuberculin Tested" (Supplementary).....	3.

By the Milk (Special Designation) Regulations, 1960, the responsibility of the issuing of licences was transferred from the Council to the Dorset County Council as from 31/12/1960.

Milk Sampling.

In addition to samples taken by the Council, samples are also taken by the Dorset County Council on behalf of the Rural District Council.

Sampled by.	Result.	Sterilised.	Pasteurised.	T.T.	Non-Designated.	Total.
R.D.C.	Passed.	1	2	4	-	53
D.C.C.		-	8	31	7	
R.D.C.	Failed.	-	-	3	-	
D.C.C.		-	-	10	1	14



Regarding the samples of milk that failed, the producers of these were notified and where two or more consecutive samples failed, the County Milk Production Officer was requested to visit the farm.

Milk and Dairies Regulations 1949 Section 20.

It was not necessary to invoke these Regulations during the year.

Meat Inspection.

There is one licensed slaughterhouse situated at Bradpole, which is privately owned, and the tenant has his own fleet of delivery vans for transporting meat to retailers inside and outside the Rural District. There is quite a large export trade carried on from this slaughterhouse. Meat Inspection is carried out by a Veterinary Surgeon employed part-time by the Council.

27 inspections were made of the slaughterhouse during the year.

Slaughterhouse Report.

The Slaughterhouse Regulations as required by the Slaughterhouse Act, 1958 were considered in July by a Joint Meeting of representatives of the Bridport Borough Council, Bridport Rural District Council, Lyme Regis Borough Council, Chartered Auctioneers Institute, The Bridport and District Master Butchers' Association and the owner of the private slaughterhouse situated in the Bridport Rural District. As a result of this meeting the two Bridport Councils included in their respective Slaughterhouse Reports :-

- (a) that the existing slaughterhouse facilities in the neighbourhood were satisfactory as to capacity, but as the one existing slaughterhouse was under private control, it was desirable that alternative facilities should be made available by someone, other than a Local Authority, for those traders or other persons who wished to slaughter their own animals.
- (b) that there was insufficient demand in this neighbourhood to warrant the provision of a public abattoir by a Local Authority out of public moneys.

The Meat (Staining and Sterilisation) Regulations, 1960, came into operation 1/11/60.

Briefly they are to the effect that, with certain exemptions, meat, at slaughterhouses and other premises, which is unfit for human consumption must be sterilised before it leaves the premises, but where there are no facilities for sterilising, the meat may be removed by arrangement with an authorised officer of the Local Authority to a place where it will be sterilised or destroyed. All meat at knackers yards must be sterilised or stained green.

Carcases and Offal inspected and condemned in whole or in part.						
	Cattle Excluding Cows.	Cows.	Calves.	Sheep & Lambs.	Pigs.	Horses.
Number killed.	704	582	4409	11013	5683	-
Number inspected.	704	582	4409	11013	5683	-
<u>All diseases except</u>						
<u>Tuberculosis and</u>						
<u>Cysticerci.</u>						
Whole carcasses condemned.	4	8	1	1	3	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	308	341	9	1537	668	-
Percentage of the No. inspected affected with disease other than Tuberculosis and Cysticerci.	44.3	59.96	0.23	13.96	11.8	-
<u>Tuberculosis only.</u>						
Whole carcasses condemned.	-	2	-	-	1	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	1	4	-	-	243	-
Percentage of the No. inspected affected with Tuberculosis.	0.14	1.03	-	-	4.29	-
<u>Cysticercosis.</u>						
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### HOUSING.

20 dwellings were completed and occupied during the year. These were 8 one-bedroomed flats and 4 one-bedroomed bungalows at Charnouth together with 4 one-bedroomed flats and 4 two-bedroomed flats at Bradpole.

Towards the end of the year tenders were accepted for the erection of one block of six one-bedroomed flats and two pairs of three bed-roomed houses together with site works at Puncknowle.

Tenders were also invited for the erection of 2 houses at Wallditch and work was in hand in connection with the survey and lay-out of the Annings Lane site for 6 or 8 dwellings.

It was resolved to purchase land at 25, 26, and 27 Shadrack, and 23 and 24 Annings Lane, Burton Bradstock for development purposes and two cottages in Church Street, Puncknowle, were purchased.

Outline planning permission for the Synondsburry village site (10 dwellings) was received and survey and sketch plans were being prepared.

The Council agreed to participate in the County Council's proposals regarding schemes for intermediate accommodation and rent guarantee.



### Re-Housing.

No. of dwellings completed during 1959 by -

(a) Local Authority.....	20.
(b) Private Enterprise.....	51.
No. of dwellings in course of construction at 31/12/60 by -	
(a) Local Authority.....	Nil.
(b) Private Enterprise.....	31.
No. of dwellings completed by Local Authority since 1944.....	236.
No. of dwellings completed by Private Enterprise since 1944.....	320.

At the end of the year there were approximately 160 applicants on the waiting list for housing accommodation in the District.

### Improvement Grants.

Details of both discretionary and standard grant applications received during the year are as follows -

	<u>Discretionary Grants.</u>	<u>Standard Grants.</u>
No. of applications received.....	20	42
No. of applications approved.....	20 (1)	38
No. of applications refused.....	-	1
No. of applications withdrawn.....	1	2
No. of applications under consideration.....	-	1
No. of separate dwellings in approved applications...	31	38
Value of grants approved.....	£10,609	£5,255
No. of schemes completed.....	23 (11)	31 (111)

(1) Includes one application received in 1959.

(11) Includes 15 applications approved prior to 1/1/60.

(111) Includes 18 applications approved prior to 1/1/60.

227 visits in connection with improvement grant applications were made.

### Inspection of dwelling houses.

No. of houses inspected for defects.....	22.
No. of inspections.....	105.
No. found to be in such a state as to be prejudicial to health or dangerous and unfit for habitation.....	22.
No. of Informal Notices under Housing Acts served.....	58.
No. of Informal Notices under Housing Acts complied with.....	60 *
No. of Statutory Notices under Housing Acts served.....	Nil.
No. of Statutory Notices under Housing Acts complied with.....	Nil.
No. of applications for Certificates of disrepair.....	2.
No. of Certificates of disrepair granted.....	2.

\* Includes two informal notices served in 1959.

### Rural Housing Survey and Housing Act, 1957.

In accordance with the Council's policy there has been a slowing down of the inspection of Classification 1V dwellings (those requiring demolition or replacement) and during 1960 only 10 final detailed inspections were made leaving 46 houses to be finally surveyed so as to complete the original programme.

From the following tables it will be seen that there are 3,014 houses in the District of which 164 or 5½% fall into Classification 1V. During the four years period from the completion of the preliminary survey the number of Classification 1V houses has been reduced by 27 due to upgradings, improvements or demolitions.

Of the 198 dwellings in this Classification, Demolition, Clearance or Closing Orders have been made in respect of 13 houses and 9 have been complied with, 11 have been or are to be purchased by the Council for demolition, re-development or improvement, 23 have been improved by the owners, 6 are subject to undertakings and proposals to improve 13 have been received and approved but the work has not yet been carried out. Regarding the remaining 132 houses, proposals have been invited from owners in respect of 66 but have not been received to-date. Action has been deferred on 6 houses during the lifetime of the present tenants and the remainder are awaiting final inspection.

The Council have resolved that it continue to proceed, where some merit of preservation existed, by the informal method whereby owners are invited to submit proposals to eliminate defects, but that in other cases the formal procedure as laid down in the Housing Act, be adopted.

PREVALENCE OF, AND CONTROL OVER INFECTIOUS  
AND OTHER DISEASES.

The incidence of notifiable Infectious Diseases was very low.

The case of Some Dysentary occurred in a 7 year old girl who had been in contact with cases in a household while she was away on holiday.

No cases of Food Poisoning were notified.

Close co-operation was maintained with Head Teachers and School Nurses regarding the control of Infectious Diseases in schools.

Immunisation.

This is the responsibility of the Dorset County Council. When not performed by the child's own doctor, immunisation is given at the schools and Child Welfare Centre, and for older persons, immunisation against Poliomyelitis, was given at special evening clinics.

The following table shows the number who were immunised :-

<u>Disease.</u>	<u>Primary.</u>	<u>Booster.</u>
Tuberculosis B.C.G.	206 *	
Poliomyelitis.	514	596
Diphtheria.	98	237
Whooping Cough.	94	81
Tetanus.	104	111
Smallpox.	81	12

\* This number includes children from Bridport Borough and a few from Beaminster and Dorchester Rural Districts who attend the Colfox School.

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948.  
Section 47, Removal of Persons in need of Care and  
Attention to suitable premises.

There were no cases during the year where it was necessary to proceed under the provisions of this Section of the Act.

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HOUSING CLASSIFICATION - STATE AT 31st. DECEMBER, 1960.

<u>PARISH.</u>	<u>CLASSIFICATIONS</u>								<u>TOTAL NO. OF HOUSES.</u>	
	I		II		III		IV		1960	1959
	Pre.	Fin.	Pre.	Fin.	Pre.	Fin.	Pre.	Fin.		
1. Allington.	14	14	23	-	20	2	-	3	76	76
2. Askerswell.	18	4	8	-	11	-	3	1	45	45
3. B'hampton.	256	60	16	-	37	-	6	3	378	367
4. Bradpole.	253	31	52	-	27	2	-	11	376	361
5. Burton Bradstock.	118	46	42	2	48	4	-	4	264	261
6. Catherston Leweston.	5	3	2	-	3	-	-	-	13	13
7. Charmouth.	214	49	50	1	30	6	-	6	356	336
8. Chideock.	135	38	29	2	23	3	-	4	234	232
9. Chilcombe.	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	6	6
10. Litton Cheney.	22	12	24	-	28	-	4	-	90	88
11. Loders.	44	15	46	1	49	1	10	2	168	167
12. Punccknowle.	43	17	19	1	11	7	-	20	118	116
13. Shipton Gorge.	29	20	22	1	8	2	-	7	89	84
14. Stanton St. Gabriel.	30	2	2	-	2	-	-	3	39	39
15. Swyre.	6	4	17	-	12	-	-	-	39	37
16. Symondsburys.	150	22	82	2	41	8	3	48	356	347
17. Whitchurch Canonioorum.	105	22	68	1	42	4	16	4	262	260
18. Wootton Fitzpaine.	38	4	36	-	20	1	4	2	105	105
Totals.	1483	363	538	11	415	40	46	118	3014	2940
Totals.	1846		549		455		164		3014	
Percentage.	61%		18½%		15%		5½%		100%	
Figures at year ending 31/12/59.										
Totals.	1511	226	565	9	430	34	52	113		2940
Totals.	1737		574		464		165			2940
Figures on report of July 1956 (Preliminary inspections completed).										
	1459		590		475		191		2715	

PARISH.	Prelim. Insp. made.	Final Insp. made.	Total Class IV dwellings.	Insp. by Committee.	Proposals invited.	Proposals accepted.	Proposals carried out.	Undertaking made.	Undertaking accepted.	Demolition Orders made.	Demolition carried out.	Clearance Orders made.	Demolition in C.A. carried out.	Closing Orders made.	Action deferred during lifetime of present tenant.	Purchased or to be purchased by L.A.
ALLINGTON.	-	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ASKERS' TLT.	3	5	8	5	5	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BOTHENHAMPTON.	6	8	14	4	3	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
BRADPOLE.	-	13	13	13	9	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	4
BURTON BRADSTOCK.	-	8	8	8	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
CALDERSTON LEVESTON.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHARMOUTH.	-	5	5	5	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
CHIDDECK.	-	5	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
CHILCOMBE.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LITTON CHENEY.	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TODDERS.	10	7	17	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	-
PUNCKNOBLE.	-	23	23	23	16	9	2	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Total carried forward	23	79	102	70	47	27	18	6	6	-	1	4	6	-	6	8

CLASSIFICATION IV DWELLINGS - STATE AT 31st. DECEMBER, 1960.

	Prelin. Insp. made.	Final Insp. made.	Total Class IV dwellings.	Insp. by Committee.	Proposals invited.	Proposals accepted.	Proposals carried out.	Undertaking made.	Undertaking accepted.	Denolition Orders made.	Denolition carried out.	Clearance Orders made.	Denolition in C.A. carried out	Closing Orders made.	Action deferred during lifetime of present tenant.	Purchased or to be purchased by L.A.
brought forward.	23	79	102	70	47	27	18	6	6	-	1	4	6	-	6	8
SHIPTON GORGE.	-	8	8	8	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-
STANTON ST. GABRIEL.	-	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
SVYRE.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SYMONDSTURY.	3	52	55	46	43	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
WILTONHUE CH CLANONICORUM.	16	8	24	9	7	6	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
WOOLFON FITZPAINE.	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS.	46	152	198	136	102	36	23	6	6	2	1	9	6	2	6	11



INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED DURING 1960.

DISEASES.	Total.	Under 1 year.	1	2	3	4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65 & over.
Dysentery.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Measles.....	24	1	1	-	5	-	16	1	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia.....	5	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	2
Scarlet Fever.....	5	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Tuberculosis (Pulmonary).....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Tuberculosis (Non-Pulmonary).....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Whooping Cough.....	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-
Total.	42	2	1	2	6	1	21	3	-	2	2	2

QUARTERLY NOTIFICATIONS.

DISEASES.	Total.	1st. Qrt.	2nd. Qrt.	3rd. Qrt.	4th. Qrt.
Dysentery.....	1	-	1	-	-
Measles.....	24	3	19	2	-
Pneumonia.....	5	3	-	1	1
Scarlet Fever.....	5	2	2	1	-
Tuberculosis (Pulmonary).....	2	-	1	-	1
Tuberculosis (Non-Pulmonary).....	1	-	1	-	-
Whooping Cough.....	4	4	-	-	-
Total.	42	12	24	4	2



INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED DURING 1938, 1940, 1945 - 1960.

DISEASES.	1938	1940	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Diphtheria.....	-	4	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Erysipelas.....	1	-	3	5	3	2	4	2	2	2	1	-	1	2	3	2	-	-
Scarlet Fever.....	9	5	5	8	9	6	2	11	7	2	6	3	-	1	7	2	4	5
Enteric Fever (Inc. Typhoid).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerperal Pyrexia.....	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	-	5	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Poliomyelitis.....	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	7	-	2	6	2	1	1	2	-	2	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Dysentery.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Encephalitis Lethargica.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia.....	1	2	3	2	2	1	2	3	7	7	11	16	4	11	10	8	13	5
Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	6	5	4	2	4	1	3	3	6	4	-	6	-	2	3	7	1	2
Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	1	1	3	5	3	-	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	2	1
Measles.....	UK	93	205	3	40	62	8	112	78	18	83	2	187	69	59	57	210	24
Whooping Cough.....	UK	-	24	4	60	24	34	37	62	31	80	21	16	6	66	1	-	4
Totals.	18	117	250	35	129	98	60	175	164	69	188	51	211	94	153	78	233	42

TUBERCULOSIS.

<u>Age</u> <u>Periods.</u>	<u>New Cases notified</u> <u>during 1960.</u>				<u>Deaths during 1960</u>			
	<u>Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>	
	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>
0- 4.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-14.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-24.	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
25-34.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35-44.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-54.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
55-64.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 & over.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals.	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-

New Cases and Mortality.  
1938 - 1960

	<u>New Cases.</u>				<u>Deaths.</u>			
	<u>Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>	
	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>
1938.	1	5	-	1	1	1	-	-
1939.	1	3	1	-	-	1	1	-
1940.	2	4	1	-	1	2	1	-
1941.	1	2	-	1	1	1	-	-
1942.	2	-	1	2	2	2	-	-
1943.	6	6	-	4	-	1	-	-
1944.	6	4	-	3	1	1	-	-
1945.	3	1	3	-	1	-	-	-
1946.	2	-	1	3	1	1	-	1
1947.	2	2	1	2	1	-	1	-
1948.	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
1949.	3	1	-	3	-	3	-	-
1950.	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
1951.	4	2	4	-	-	-	-	-
1952.	2	2	-	1	1	1	-	-
1953.	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
1954.	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
1955.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
1956.	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-
1957.	1	2	1	1	1	2	-	-
1958.	4	3	-	-	1	-	-	-
1959.	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
1960.	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-

	<u>Pulmonary.</u>		<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>	
	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>	<u>M.</u>	<u>F.</u>
Total cases on Register at end of 1959.	16	9	3	3
New Cases notified during 1960.	2	-	-	1
Cases from other areas who have come to live in the District.	3	1	-	-
Removals from District into other areas.	-	1	-	2
Removed from Register as Non-Tubercular.	-	-	-	-
Removed from Register - Cured.	2	1	-	1
Deaths during 1960.	1	-	-	-
Total on Register at end of 1960.	18	8	3	1



FACTORIES ACTS, 1937 to 1959.

Part 1 of the Act.

1. INSPECTIONS for purpose of provisions as to health (including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors).

Premises. (1)	Number on Register. (2)	Inspections. (3)	Number of Written notices. (4)	Occupiers prosecuted. (5)
(i) Factories in which Section 1,2,3,4, and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	15	41	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.	11	5	-	-
iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers' premises).	2	2	-	-
Total.	28	48	-	-

2. Cases in which DEFECTS were found.

Particulars. (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found.				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted. (6)
	Found. (2)	Remedied. (3)	Referred To H.M. Inspector. (4)	By H.M. Inspector. (5)	
Want of cleanliness (S.1.)	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2.)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature (S.3.)	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S.4.)	-	-	-	-	-
Ineffective drainage of floors.	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient.	2	1	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective.	-	-	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes.	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Outwork)	1	-	-	-	-
Total.	3	1	-	-	-

Part V111 of the Act.

Outwork  
(Sections 110 and 111)

Section 110				Section 111		
Nature of Work. (1)	No. of out-workers in August list. required by Section 110 (1) (c). (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council. (3)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists. (4)	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises. (5)	Notices served. (6)	Prosecutions. (7)
Nets.	186	-	-	-	-	-

